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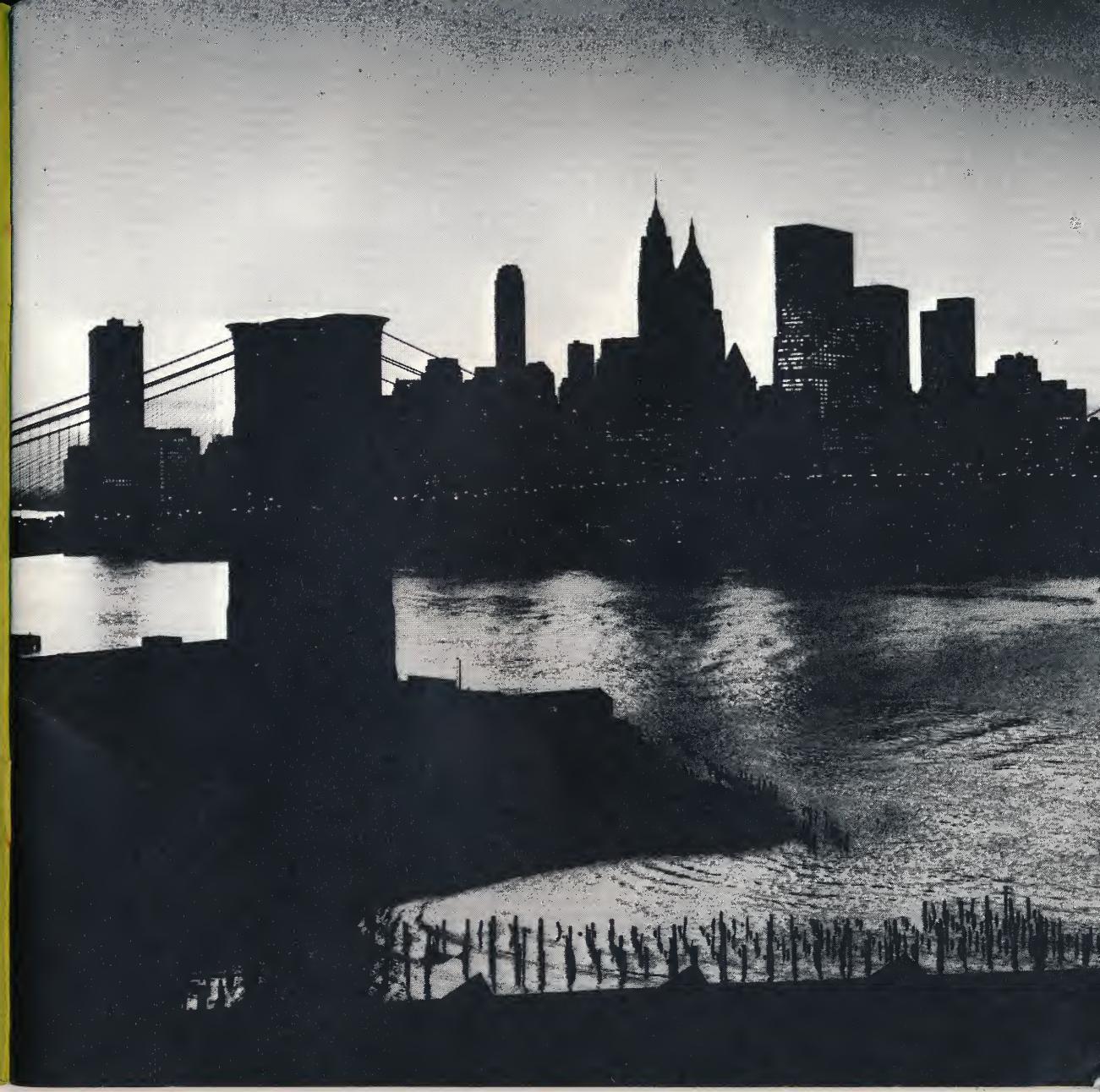
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## LITERATURE FOR THE SEVENTIES

A study of the influential thinkers—psychologists, philosophers, scientists—who provide the keys to understanding today's new writers. This course orients the reader by identifying significant authors, explaining new techniques, and relating both author and style to old and new modes of thought in other disciplines such as sociology and education. The aim is to help the contemporary reader understand tomorrow's new writing.

Among the authors discussed: May, Fromm, Mailer, Vonnegut, Roth, Updike, Baldwin, Cleaver, Malcolm X, Clarke, Heller, A. Miller, Beckett, Pinter, Godard, Warhol, Nabokov, McLuhan, Sontag.

### Walter James Miller

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Course Number: X02.9920                          \$50

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*Also of interest:*

**English and American Literature of the Twentieth Century**

## SOURCES OF THE MODERN CINEMA with Amos Vogel

The cinema of poetry, dream and illusion is explored. Topics: Film as a Visual Art; Experiment in Soviet Russia I and II; Surrealism and the Cinema; the Terrible Poetry of Nazism; Abstraction, Dada and Pop: Ritual, Myth and Dream; The New Worldview: Science and Philosophy; The New Worldview and the Cinema.

Among the films to be shown are:

*Go Slow on the Brighton; God is Dog Spelled Backwards; Strike; Un Chien Andalou; The Cabinet of Dr. Caligari; Pestilent City; Triumph of the Will; New York, New York; Meshes of the Afternoon; The Sluice; Night and Fog.*

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**The Filmmakers**

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## COUNTERCULTURE: YOUTH AND REVOLUTION

This lecture series explores the history, content, and political significance of the youth "counterculture," and questions whether it is genuinely revolutionary or just another processed product of a power structure that not only absorbs rebellion, but promotes it and profits from it. Leading spokesmen for the various movements appear.

Topics include: protest in the streets; pot politics; the new psychology and the "politics of the nervous system"; the new sexuality; communes; the underground press; the new education.

**Rosalyn Regelson, coordinator**

**Thurs., 8.10-10 p.m., Oct. 1-Dec. 10  
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*Other courses of interest:*

**Radical America: A Three-dimensional Study**

**The Twentieth Century: Age of Revolution**

## NEW YORK POETS

**William Packard, coordinator**

Some of America's greatest poets live and work in New York. During the semester, outstanding poets visit the class to read from their works and to discuss their poetry with special reference to the New York scene.

Ron Padgett

Galway Kinnell

David Ignatow

Muriel Rukeyser

Jerome Rothenberg

Eli Siegel

Helen Adam

Richard Howard

Aram Saroyan

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**The Art of the Short Story**

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## **URBAN ECOLOGY: MAN VS. NATURE**

Six lectures and four field trips explore man's struggle with nature in the urban environment. With emphasis on New York City, the illustrated lectures examine urban ecology, major ecosystems and man's role in these systems. Man's impact on the environment and alternatives for improving the environmental quality of the city are discussed.

**Joseph J. Shomon and guest lecturers  
in cooperation with the National Audubon  
Society**  
**Thurs., 6.10-8 p.m., Sept. 24; Oct. 1, 8, 15,  
29 and Nov. 12**  
**Sat., 9.30-12 noon, Oct. 10, 24; Nov. 7, 21**  
**Course Number: X16.9340                          \$45**

## **CONVERSATIONS IN MUSIC Robert Sherman, coordinator**

Eight distinguished speakers representing different aspects of the concert performance discuss a wide range of topics, from the specifics of interpretive techniques to the social and economic concerns of music today.

**The Composer:** Alan Hovhaness  
**The Singer:** Beverly Sills

**The Critic:** Harold C. Schonberg, *The New York Times*

**The Conductor:** To be announced

**The Administrator:** Francis Robinson,  
Assistant Manager, The Metropolitan Opera  
Carlos Mosley, President, The New York  
Philharmonic

**The Soloists:** Daniel Barenboim and  
Jacqueline du Pré

**Wed., 8.10-10 p.m., Oct. 7-Nov. 18  
(6 sessions)**  
**Course Number: X06.9018                          \$30**

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**Mozart**

**Great Symphonies and Concertos**

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## **THE OPERA: LECTURE AND PERFORMANCE**

An opera lecture series that includes attendance at four performances of the New York City Opera Company at Lincoln Center.

### **Performances: Fridays**

October 9:  
*La Bohème*, Puccini

October 23:  
*Pelléas et Mélisande*, Debussy

October 30:  
*La Cenerentola*, Rossini

November 6:  
*Roberto Devereux*, Donizetti

### **Paul E. Eisler**

**Lectures: Mon., 8.10-10 p.m., Sept. 28,  
Oct. 5, 12, 19, 26, Nov. 2, 9 (7 sessions)**

**Course Number: X06.9055                          \$50\***

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\*The \$50 fee includes a \$7.95 orchestra ticket for each of the four performances.

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*Other courses of interest:*

**The Ballet: Lecture and Performance**

**The Symphony Orchestra: Lecture and Performance**

## **THE UNITED NATIONS AND INTERNATIONAL ISSUES**

Ambassadors and visiting diplomats discuss vital international issues, their current impact on world peace, and their possible solutions. Topics include:

Southeast Asia from Indonesia to Cambodia

The New Japan and Her Influence on Asia

The Middle East Crisis

Student Movements and Their International Impact

The Chinese-Soviet Relationship

The class meets at the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace, 46th Street and First Avenue.

### **Ivan Nagy, coordinator**

**Fri., 10.15 a.m.-1 p.m., Oct. 16, 30; Nov. 6,  
20; Dec. 4, 11; Jan. 8, 22, 29 (9 sessions)**

**Course Number: X12.9011                          \$60**

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*Other courses of interest:*

**China: Land of Ferment**

**Latin America: The Politics and Sociology  
of Instability and Insufficiency**

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## **LOST PEOPLES**

Ten outstanding experts examine ten different cultures—some totally extinct and others that have survived as anachronisms in the modern world. Illustrated by slides.

The Canaanites

The Scythians

The Basques

The Kingdom of Benin

The Berbers

The Bactrians

The Ainu

The Caribs

The Lapps

The Gypsies

**Phyllis Pollak, coordinator**

**Tues., 8.10-10 p.m., Oct. 6-Dec. 15**

**(10 sessions)**

**Course Number: X07.9045**

**\$40**

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*Other courses of interest:*

**Rites of Life and Death in the Ancient World**

**Archaeology of Mexico and Central America**

## **THE HERITAGE OF BLACK AFRICA**

The black man's African heritage is rich, highly sophisticated and of great antiquity. Through lectures and discussion this course examines the economic, cultural, political and religious achievements of sub-Saharan civilizations prior to European rule.

Cultures are studied through a multi-media, interdisciplinary approach. Tapes of African music, and films on traditional art and architecture assembled by the instructor on his recent trip to Africa are used to illustrate the lectures.

**Richard Hull**

**Tues., 6.10-8 p.m., Oct. 6-Dec. 15**

**(10 sessions)**

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**\$40**

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*Also of interest:*

**Cultural Anthropology**

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## **DEATH: PERSPECTIVES PAST AND PRESENT**

Throughout history man has sought to understand and to explain the meaning and nature of death. This special series explores the individual's relation to death from the philosophical, psychological and cultural points of view. Guest lecturers appear.

Topics include:

The Meaning of Life and the Problems of Death

The Rites of Death: Cultural Perspectives

From Christianity to Existentialism:  
A Philosophical Way of Death

The Theatre: A Dramatic Celebration of Death

Dying as an Existential Crisis: Subjective Knowledge of Existence

The Artist's View of Death: Music, Art and the Human Imagination

Religious Beliefs, Attitudes, and Rituals

Psychology and the Individual: How our View of Death Shapes Our Life

**Lawrence LeShan, Jacques Choron, Stanley Kauffmann, Ada Fridman**

**Tues. 8.10-10 p.m., Oct. 6-Dec. 15  
(10 sessions)**

**Course Number: X09.9509      \$40**

## **THE CONSERVATIVE RESPONSE: AIMS AND ALTERNATIVES**

Distinguished lecturers discuss the political and philosophical concerns and ideas of conservatism today. Discussion deals with the possible failures of liberal ideology and presents alternative, conservative approaches to contemporary problems.

Topics include: liberalism and the Western tradition; literature and the politics of reality; law and order; race; education; the welfare state; youth and conservatism; foreign policy; the emerging conservative majority.

**Lawrence Chickering, coordinator**

**Tues. 8.10-10 p.m., Oct. 6-Dec. 15  
(10 sessions)**

**Course Number: X05.9013      \$40**

*Also of interest:*

**Contemporary Ideologies: Challenge and Change**

## **AN EXPERIMENTAL SERIES**

### **The American Experience III**

Through an examination of contemporary institutions, social events, fads, technologies, ideologies, symbols and loyalties, American society will be taken apart and, hopefully, put together again.

The third seminar of the four-semester series deals with the arts and communication. Subjects for discussion include: the American theatre scene, new directions in cinema, the art world, mass culture, music of protest and imagination, and literature of the seventies.

Students should be prepared to take field trips—to other classes, theatres, concerts. The class may continue to meet informally after the sessions. A number of guest lecturers participate. The aim is to have an unstructured educational experience.

It is not necessary for students to have attended the first two semesters of this series. To ensure classroom participation, enrollment is limited. Students who wish to enroll for this seminar can receive a special application form by calling 598-2373.

**Herbert I. London, Stanley C. Gabor and  
guest lecturers**

**Wed., 6.15-9 p.m., Oct. 7-Dec. 16**

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## **DRUG ABUSE: A SEMINAR**

A special workshop seminar on drugs for parents, teachers, community workers, psychologists and concerned citizens. The aim is to provide the latest information and ideas on drug use, its effects, and its treatment, through dialogue and first-hand experience. The class invites resource speakers such as former addicts, law enforcement officers, youth workers, medical doctors, sociologists and others. Films are shown.

**Herbert J. Freudenberger, coordinator**

**Mon., 8.10-10 p.m., Oct. 5-Dec. 7  
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## **THE CONCERNED PHOTOGRAPHER II**

**Cornell Capa, coordinator**

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Gordon Parks

Arthur Rothstein

Michael Semak

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for Concerned Photography**

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**(11 sessions)**

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## **RADICAL SCHOOL REFORM**

Notable guest lecturers explore new, radical theories of education, and evaluate experimental programs that have put these principles into action. Guest speakers include:

Paul Goodman

John Holt

Jonathan Kozol

Charles Silberman

Marilyn Gittell

Preston Wilcox

Henry Resnik

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Student activists

**Beatrice and Ronald Gross, coordinators**

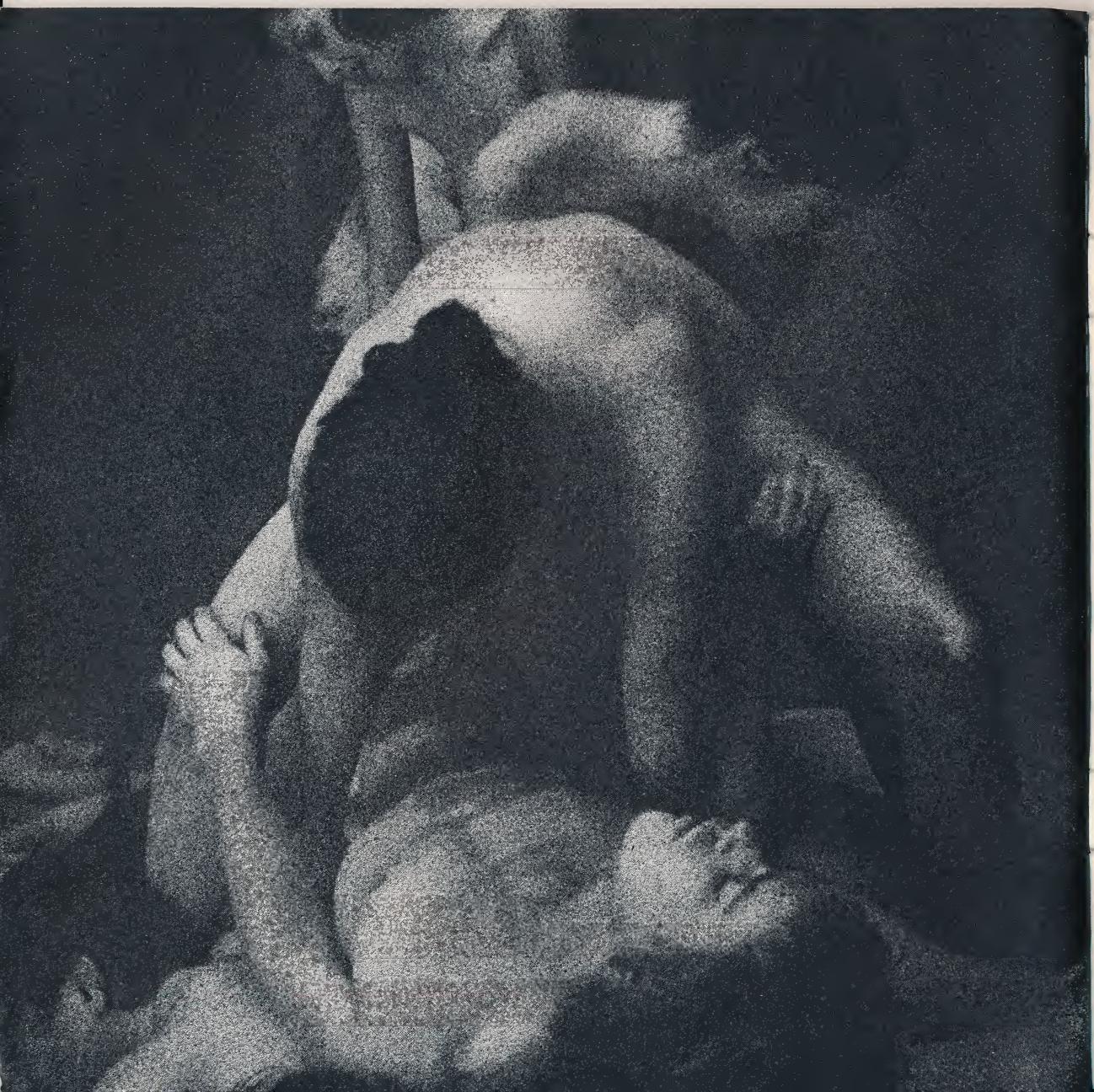
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## **THEATRE OF THE SEVENTIES: LECTURE AND PERFORMANCE**

A series that explores the theatre of the seventies from an artistic and commercial viewpoint. In addition to six class sessions, students attend performances of four plays and talk with actors, writers, producers, and directors. Guest speakers participate.

Topics include: The American theatre scene; the quest for a theatrical past; the theatre as a forum for and as a place of social change; the repertory company and the theatre festival; British theatre and its influence on American theatre.

**Frederick Feirstein and Jay Fuchs**

**Wed., 8.10-10 p.m., Oct. 7-Dec. 16  
(10 sessions)**

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**\$50\***

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*Other courses of interest:*

**Contemporary Drama**

**New Arts in New York**

## **WAYS OF GROWTH: APPROACHES TO EXPANDING AWARENESS**

Leading experts analyze the various approaches and methods of current movements which aim to expand awareness and to develop personal growth.

Methods discussed and demonstrated include: play and self-development; sensory awakening through smell, touch and taste; sensory awakening and relaxation; the residential encounter group, sensitivity training, T-groups and awareness centers; the training of intuition; approaches to increased awareness through the understanding of dreams; transcendent functioning: the full use of human potentialities.

**Richard L. Grossman, coordinator**

**Tues., 8.10-10 p.m., Oct. 6-Dec. 15  
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**Psychology and Psychoanalysis in Everyday Life**

**Workshop in Emotional Understanding**

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## **URBAN ECONOMICS: PRESSURES, PRIORITY AND PERFORMANCE**

New York's Commissioner of Commerce and Industry, D. K. Patton, and eight guest speakers illustrate the ways in which various economic interests contend for scarce resources in our cities today. Through lectures and discussion, the class is exposed to current economic and political conflicts among the proponents of housing, historical preservation, highways, environmental conservation and industrial development.

The class also uses games in which student teams representing various interest groups plan, pressure, speculate and bargain in a real urban context.

**D. K. Patton, coordinator  
Tues., 8.10-10 p.m., Oct. 6-Dec. 15  
(10 sessions)**  
**Course Number: X05.9218**

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*Also of interest:*

**Economics of the 70's**

## **ART AND SOCIAL CULTURE**

Great periods of art emerge within the framework of a culture, often reflecting or anticipating its values. Through illustrated lectures, these major periods are examined in terms of the societies in which they developed.

The cultures and periods discussed include:

Greece (Fifth to Fourth Century B.C.), India (Third to First Century B.C.), China (Eleventh to Thirteenth Century), Italy (Fourteenth to Fifteenth Century), Flanders and the Netherlands (Seventeenth Century), France (Late Nineteenth Century), America (Contemporary).

**Hermine Freed**

**Tues. 8.10-10 p.m., Sept. 28-Jan. 12  
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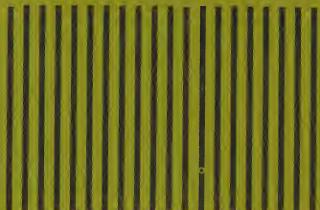
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